

Editor The Star: During the period of 1911 and 1921 I made my home at Hope, and after leaving there and until January of this year I have maintained a very close contact through the state papers and periodical visits with Hope and South Arkansas.

I have been here (Mattoon, Ill.) since January. Sunday I went to the post office and, much to my surprise and delight, spread out on the desk in front of the section where my post office box is, was the Hope Star dated Friday, September 17.

I read a portion of it rapidly, then looked in every direction and under the desk to be certain the owner was not looking, and sneaked this paper under my coat and carried it out to the car where Mrs. Brannon was, and she told me that she had come home to be sure no one would claim. We have read it from one end to the other.

Now we would like to know the name and address of the subscriber in Mattoon, Ill. Black or white, under the Truman plan, we are ready to call on them.

Just pick out anybody around there, including Ed McCormick, who was a charter member of the Rotary club with me, and give them my best regards. There are many others there whom we number among our close friends.

GEORGE BRANNAN  
Sept. 20, 1948  
Box 395  
Mattoon, Ill.

I am advising Mr. Brannon that the Mattoon subscriber is Charles Burwell, Box 53, Mattoon, Ill.

Hope stores closed at noon today for a half-holiday—and this is a gentle reminder to both owners and staffs that the holiday ought to be used for the purpose for which it was intended: To support the Third District Stock Show at Fair park by attending it today.

This radio quiz show idea is infecting the small fry among newspaper readers also.

Yesterday a lad who looked to be 9 or 10 came in the office with a clipping of a Star "filler" item which announced that the planet Saturn has 10 moons.

"That," said the younger, "is wrong." And he handed in a penciled memorandum which stated that Saturn has only nine moons.

One time when I was arguing with my father and told him he was "wrong" he paused a moment, then said gravely, "Don't you know a word less harsh?" That silenced me. It was a good line, too.

I'm calling it to the attention of the small fry who called at our office yesterday. For the Funk & Wagnalls New Standard Encyclopedia data reports that the planet Saturn has "at least 10 satellites."

No charge for the correction, sir.

Supersensitive Minorities Can Defeat Own Good Purposes  
By JAMES THRASHER

One of the chief causes of the late war was that celebrated Celestial of fiction, Dr. Fu Manchu. Though he was a villain, he was executed not for his evil deeds but for his nationality. It was felt that those who despised him on the screen cast aspersions on our Chinese.

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Bulletin

By LEON HATCH

Little Rock, Sept. 23 —(AP)—States Rights Democrats today abandoned an effort to have the Arkansas State Democratic Convention name presidential elector candidates pledged to the States Rights ticket.

John L. Daggett of Marianna, member of the States Rights Executive Committee, threw the convention into an uproar of applause when he made the announcement about an hour and a half after the convention opened at noon.

Instead of the expected convention fight, the candidacies of Govs. Strom Thurmond and Fielding Wright for president and vice president will be placed on the Arkansas ballot by petition which will be filed tomorrow, Daggett said.

Two Injured in Wrecks Near Hope

Mrs. J. M. Duncan and grandson, Michael, aged 3, of Hot Springs, were injured about 9:30 a.m. today when the automobile in which they were riding struck a bridge about 5 miles west of Hope on Highway 67.

The youth's leg was broken and Mrs. Duncan suffered severe cuts about the scalp. The car was badly damaged.

Enroute to New Boston, Texas, Mrs. Duncan told state police that she tried to pass a truck loaded with cotton and was forced into the bridge. Police were unable to locate the truck.

In another accident, last night about 3 miles west on Highway 67, a Blackburn Syrup Truck of Jefferson, Tenn., driven by Tom Roden, hit and killed a cow on the highway. The truck was seriously damaged. Owner of the cow, one of 5 on the road, was not immediately identified.

Sister of Mrs. G. E. Cannon, Succumbs

Mrs. J. S. Campere, 72, wife of Dr. J. S. Campere, Baptist minister of Corns, died Thursday in a hospital at Little Rock following a long illness. Her survivors include a sister, Mrs. G. E. Cannon of Hope.

Both Sides Try for Control of Convention

By LEON HATCH

Little Rock, Sept. 23 —(AP)—Arkansas Democratic state convention opened here today with every indication of a heated battle for control between "regular" Democrats and "States Rights" Democrats.

Gubernatorial nominee Sid McMath, the new titular head of the Democratic party in Arkansas, in advance of the session today declared that he was "willing to make any kind of reasonable compromise for harmony in the party to assure the success of my program."

He added: "But I am unwilling to surrender the machinery of the party or responsibility or duties of the convention."

McMath previously had rejected a suggestion of States Rights Democrats that the convention pass to voters at the general election the right to elect supervisors of the States Rights presidential ticket of Govs. Strom Thurmond and Fielding Wright and the regular Democratic ticket of President Truman and Senator Barkley. The States Rights in turn rejected a counter-offer from McMath.

The 24-member Sebastian county delegation held a morning caucus and unanimously agreed to back McMath at the convention. The caucus also pledged its support for Rep. L. H. Chastain of Fort Smith for speaker of the 1949 House of Representatives.

The keynote of the Democratic state convention declared today that McMath "will be guided by whatever action this convention chooses to take."

The statement was made by Will Steel, Texarkana lawyer, in a speech prepared for delivery at the convention's keynote address.

Steel was McMath's choice for keynote and temporary chairman of the convention.

"In conformity with his platform in his race for governor, Mr. McMath will be guided by whatever action this convention chooses to take and will leave the settlement of the future policy of the party to the voice of this convention," Steel said.

"On the vital issue of states rights and the civil rights bill x x x in the 80th Congress," Steel declared, "with but few exceptions Democrats in the state of Arkansas are definitely committed x x x to the doctrine of states rights x x x."

That with but few exceptions Democrats in Arkansas are opposed to the enactment of the FEPC (Fair Employment Practices) bill, x x x the chief disagreement among Democrats is x x x the plan to be pursued to restore the national Democratic party to a states rights party and defeat in some future Congress the enactment of some FEPC bill."

Two hours before the convention opened, States Rights Democrats were called into a strategy meeting.

The States Righters previously had offered a compromise whereby electors for both the Truman-Barkley ticket and the States Rights ticket be Govs. Strom Thurmond and Fielding Wright would be on the general election ballot.

This proposal was refused by Sid McMath, Democratic gubernatorial nominee.

McMath in turn suggested the convention name uninstructed electors who could vote for either ticket.

The States Righters immediately withdrew their "compromise," turned thumbs down at the McMath offer and announced a fight to gain control of the convention.

Governor Laney, who retires from office Jan. 1, announced that he would introduce a proposal to the two-day convention that Arkansas abolish the poll tax. He suggested a system of registration be adopted to take the place of the poll tax.

Laney said he realized that abolition of the poll tax is a plank in President Truman's civil rights proposal and added:

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L. R. Mechanic Admits Rape, Murder

Little Rock, Sept. 23 —(AP)—A 28-year-old mechanic drove up to Little Rock police headquarters this morning and said he had raped and killed a young nurse whose body was in the car he was driving.

Deputy Prosecutor Tom Downie said Tommy Edwin Black of Little Rock had admitted in a statement that he had raped and killed Betty Jane McCall, 23, after they had quarreled over his approach toward her.

Black, who was turned over to Little Rock county authorities shortly after he surrendered, was held on an open charge. Prosecutor Edw. Downie said he would be charged with rape and murder.

Downie quoted Black as relating this story: "I met Miss McCall, a pretty blonde, and acting director of 'nurses' education at the North Little Rock Veterans hospital, when she drove her car into a service station where he worked 6:55 last Saturday for repairs. While talking with her he obtained her name."

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Don't Slip!



How would you like Warren Demmon's job? He's pictured atop the Statue of Freedom on the Capitol dome in Washington, 287 feet above the ground. Every four years someone has to climb up there and replace the platinum tips on the lightning rods.

Residents Would Use Arms to Save Railway

Little Rock Sept. 23 —(AP)—Any attempt to junk the Missouri and Arkansas railway will be resisted by armed force in North Arkansas, Governor Laney was told today.

Dick Thompson, former state senator from Eureka Springs, declared an effort to salvage the idle railroad's rails and other equipment "will start a revolt in the pettiest of the people in this section."

Thompson acted as spokesman for a 100-member citizens committee from North Arkansas which called on his presence in this section to call a special session of the legislature to save the line.

Thompson said the cost of tearing up the M. & A. tracks was estimated at \$14 a ton, adding:

"We don't believe any contractor would make a bid to take up those rails at any price. They know the danger to the people in this section. The M. & A. is a cherished possession to these people."

The committee asked that a special session of the legislature be convened to instruct the attorney general to condemn the railway. Under a plan previously submitted by the citizen's committee, the state would purchase the M. & A. from its present owners and lease it to operating interests.

The Missouri and Arkansas incorporated the Arkansas State Railway Company to operate the line if the state purchases it.

The interstate commerce commission has ordered the M. & A. jacked by its present owners, unless an operating purchaser is found by Oct. 9.

Governor Laney and Senator John L. McClellan (D-Ark.) however, yesterday asked the ICC to extend its deadline at least 100 days.

Without commenting on the petition the ICC said that any other expressions on the subject must be filed in Washington within 10 days.

In a telegram to the federal agency, Laney and McClellan said proposals for operation are under study at present and it found feasible action by the Arkansas legislature may be required.

The Missouri and Arkansas suspended operations in September, 1947, because it has been ordered by the ICC if an operating purchaser is not found by Oct. 9 deadline.

The Arkansas Gazette today reported organization of the non-profit Arkansas State Railway company, which would be financed by a bond issue.

It is purchased by the state. Organizers include Ed Mayes, Lesley A. E. Milburn, Harrison and R. R. Thompson, Eureka Springs.

The newspaper also reported that a plan to condemn the railway by the state has been approved by the federal agency.

A north Arkansas citizens committee was to meet with Governor Laney today to present additional facts on a proposal for a special session of the legislature to condemn the line.

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Presidential Nominees Are Going All Out in Campaign to Gain Support of West

By KAC KBELL

En Route with Dewey to Phoenix Sept. 23 —(AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey declared today that "incredible opportunities" for the future development of this country lie in the West.

Heading toward Phoenix and a discussion tonight of atomic energy problems, the GOP presidential nominee talked at Winslow during an early morning stop about Arizona's sunshine.

He said he wished some of it could be bottled so that he could take it home with him to New York.

The governor was greeted on his arrival by a crowd estimated by Police Chief A. T. Hartley at 1,500 persons. The Santa Fe Indian band played.

Dewey kept the crowd waiting at Winslow for several minutes while a delegation headed by Clarence Burdington Kelland, Arizona national committeeman, boarded the train. Bruce Brockett, GOP candidate for governor was introduced before Dewey gave his brief talk.

He did not claim exemption on account of that term, he said, "because I was 33."

He said he was convinced farmers can be prosperous only "when the government is interested in the welfare of the farmers."

He told a trainside crowd at Merced — in the heart of the rich San Joaquin Valley farming area — that "if the Republicans ever did anything for the farmers, it was 'accident' and not 'on purpose.'"

It was only 6:45 a. m., Pacific daylight time, when the president appeared on the platform. He told the crowd Mrs. Truman and Margaret still were not up.

He had made his first appearance at Modesto at 5:50 a. m., to exchange "good mornings" with a crowd there. He apologized for not being up when the train stopped at Tracy at 5 a. m.

"I didn't get up quite as early as usual," he explained. "I have to get a little sleep. I can't go all day and all night, too."

President Truman tossed into the increasingly bitter political campaign today a suggestion for a "solid front" on foreign policy while he threw new punches at the Republicans on domestic issues.

Of his own part, the chief executive regarded it as "foolish" to overlook problems posed by "the tactics of the Soviet Union," but he said he did not regard them as "insuperable obstacles to peace."

In solemn tones he told a police-estimated crowd of 25,000 persons at San Francisco's city hall that progress toward peace has been "much faster" than it would have been without the United Nations.

He said the United Nations one day will bring that peace to the whole world.

Truman picked San Francisco, where he came in 1945 to witness the signing of the United Nations, and his wish to keep foreign policy out of the political campaign.

He said he had never "for one moment" underestimated the multitude of problems which the Soviet Union could cause if that country were unwilling to join with other nations in working for peace.

At the same time, he said he was "firmly convinced that all the plain people in the world want peace" and he has "never regarded the Soviet Union's present policies as insuperable obstacles to peace."

He said Secretary of State Marshall and his staff are in Paris now pushing this country's "sincere effort to bring peace to the world."

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Arrival of Summer Usually Gets Big Welcome But No One Sorry When She Leaves

By HAL BOYLE

New York —(AP)—There's a new tempo in the town. Goodbye summer, hello autumn.

There are few tears along the main stem when old lady summer, jaded by her present owners, is jacked by the ICC if an operating purchaser is not found by Oct. 9.

Everybody's tired of her — her and her torpid act. She's held the spotlight too long. Summer gets the Hollywood treatment here. She moves to a temporary home in her breeches and, for a few weeks she's the toast of the town.

But when it's time for her to go — nobody bothers to go down to the station to see her off. Bye, bye, even Grover Whalen.

Summer is too much like a fall-over-affectionate aunt. She's an antique sweetheart, a mope, doesn't want to marry and can't let rid of who nobody wants her, a weary body is weary of her ways.

She takes up the big city like a man. She takes up the big city like a man. She takes up the big city like a man.

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Rodeo Queen to Be Named Tonight

The Rodeo Queen will be selected following tonight's performance and the winner will receive a \$500 horse saddle and bridle. The field has been narrowed down to six finalists.

Sara Lee Jernigan, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Jernigan of Malvern, sponsored by Malvern Rotary Club, riding Ace.

Joanne Moore, age 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Moore of Gurdon, sponsored by Chamber of Commerce.

Mary McDaniels, age 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McDaniels of Waldo, sponsored by Lions Club, riding Mack.

Emma Louise Downs, age 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Downs of Columbus, sponsored by Columbus, riding Blackie.

Peggy Maple, age 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newt Ponceot of Hope, sponsored by VFW, riding Spot.

Arthadale Hefner, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hefner, Hope, sponsored by Lions Club, riding Beech.

At Friday afternoon's rodeo performance Hope Rodeo Queen contestants will compete for the honor of representing this city in the state contest at the Arkansas Livestock Show in Little Rock. The winner will be sponsored by the Hope Chamber of Commerce.

Court Upholds Anti-Red Part of Labor Law

Chicago, Sept. 23 —(AP)—The federal circuit court of appeals in a two-to-one decision today held unconstitutional the portion of the National Labor Relations Act requiring union officials to sign non-Communist affidavits.

Judges Otto Kerner and Sherman Minton upheld the constitutionality of the last section of the act, Judge Earl Major, in a separate opinion said he believed the section was unconstitutional.

The court's opinion was on petitions of the Inland Steel company and the CIO Union Steelworkers union asking that National Labor Relations Board order be set aside.

The court unanimously upheld the NLRB in ordering Inland Steel to bargain with the CIO union concerning plans within the scope of compulsory bargaining.

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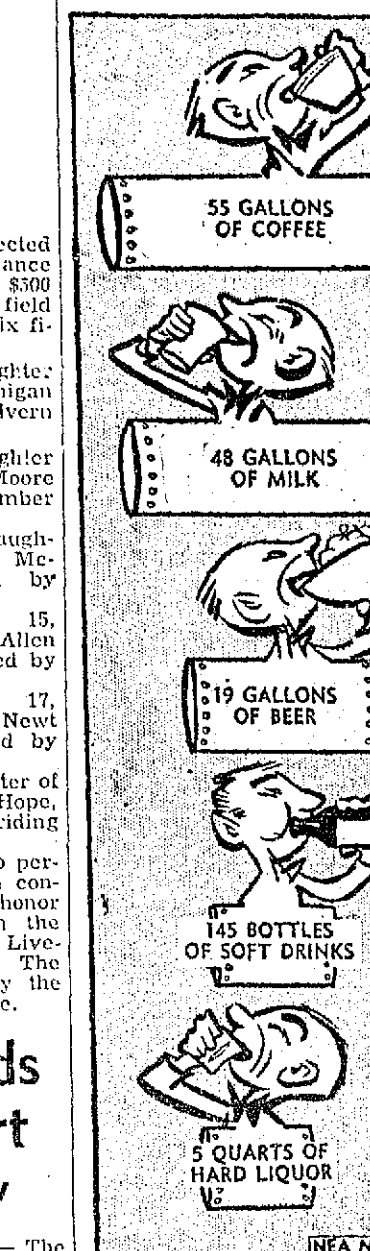
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Thirsty, Bub?



If somebody says to you, "You drink like a tank," this is what he means. Figures on the chart above are the amount of each beverage that the average American downs in one year.

Class 1: Merla Ann Brown, Hope—1st; John E. Atkins, Childers—2nd; Glen Helms, Arkadelphia—3rd; Merla Ann Brown, Hope—4th; Johnnie Slingerland, Arkadelphia—5th; Donald Ray Brown, Hope—6th; Charles Brown, Prescott—7th; John E. Atkins, Childers—8th; Donald Ray Brown, Hope—9th.

Class 2: Donald Ray Brown, Hope—1st; Ray Goodson, Nashville—2nd.

Class 3: Larry Moses, Hope—1st; James C. Hutson, Nashville—2nd; Coy Murphy, El Dorado—3rd; Glen Helms, Arkadelphia—4th; Larry Moses, Kiwanis Club—5th.

Class 4: Merla Ann Brown—1st; Tommy Rodgers, Hot Springs—2nd; Richard Hunt, Hope—3rd; Johnnie Slingerland, Arkadelphia—4th; Glen Helms, Arkadelphia—5th.

Class 5: Richard Hunt, Hope—1st; Champion Jr. Division; Donald Ray Brown—2nd.

Class 6: Glen Helms, Arkadelphia—1st; Jimmy Andrews, El Dorado—2nd.

Department 4, Class 1: Donald Ray Brown—1st; Delbert Aaron—2nd; Delbert Aaron—3rd; Richard Hunt—4th; Donald Ray Brown—5th; Thomas Moses, Hope—6th.

Class 2: Chas Beck, Hope—1st; Chas Beck—2nd; Kenneth Dale Shnyder, Hope—3rd; Ray Goodson—4th.

Guernsey Registered Dairy cattle, Class 2: Courtney Parks, Smackover—1st.

Class 3: Delano Sanders, Bismarck—1st; Loren Sanders, Bismarck—2nd; David Murphy, El Dorado—3rd.

Class 6: Delano Sanders, Bismarck—1st; Loren Sanders—2nd; Beef Animals, breeding, Junior Division.

Class 5: Ray Goodson, Nashville—1st.

Hereford Class 6: Joe H. Wren—1st; Pat Wren—2nd; Ray Goodson—4th.

Class 5: Joe Wren—1st; A. D. Stanley, Silver—2nd; Joe Wren—3rd.

Poultry Class 1: W. L. Jameson, Magnolia, Rhode Island Red—1st; G. L. Teeter, Malvern—2nd; Mrs. Fred Aiken, Malvern, New Hampshire Reds—1st.

Class 2: cockerels: Jarrel D. Burroughs, Malvern, N.H.—1st; Fred Strahan, Malvern, N.H.—2nd; Mrs. L. D. Springs, Hope, N.H.—3rd; Mrs. L. D. Spiny, N.H.—4th; Jarrel D. Burroughs, N.H.—5th; Hoyle Newton, Malvern, B.P.R.—6th; Hoyle Newton, W.R.—7th; Hoyle Newton, White Leghorn—1st; Jim Graves, W.L.—2nd; James Phelps, W.L.—3rd; Martin Hendrix, W.L.—4th; Jimmy Graves, W.L.—5th.

Rhode Island Reds: David L. Hammock, Magnolia—1st; W. L. Jameson, Magnolia—2nd, 3rd and 4th.

Class 3: White Rock: Geo. Dodds, Hope—1st, 2nd and 3rd.

White Leghorn: G. L. Teeter, Malvern—1st and 2nd; Fred Hunt, Hope—3rd, 4th and 5th.

Rhode Island Reds: W. J. Jameson, Magnolia—1st and 2nd; David L. Hammock, Magnolia—3rd.

Barred Plymouth Rocks: G. L. Hammock, Magnolia—1st and 2nd.

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WEATHER FORECAST

Arkansas: Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Friday.

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## Veteran Pilot Lands Plane on Bridge

Little Rock, Sept. 22 (UPI)—A veteran crop-duster pilot landed a light plane on the 2,200-foot Arkansas river bridge in downtown Little Rock early today.

Crowds of curious were waiting at both ends of the single span structure as Pilot J. O. Dockery brought his Cessna monoplane in for the landing at 6:05 a. m.

Despite the advance notice and policemen posted as guards to halt traffic, Dockery's landing caught at least two pedestrians by surprise in the middle of the bridge.

There was plenty of room for both them and the plane, however, Dockery said he had no trouble keeping to the center of the 40-foot wide bridge.

Dockery said he wasn't much concerned over making the landing. "I've been dusting crops for 22 years," he explained, "and this wasn't hard at all."

The plane was flown at dawn because of the absence of winds

## Russia Trying to Pull the Old Shell Game in Asking Withdrawal of U. S. Troops

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

That's an interesting thought not particularly original given by Russia in announcing that she will withdraw her troops from Northern Korea by the new year, and calling on Uncle Sam to pull out of the South.

On the face of it this is a big-hearted gesture of amity, and is calculated thus to impress the wary. However, we may be quite sure that if American troops did withdraw from Southern Korea, the Bolsheviks would move to take over quicker than you could lose a

silver dollar by trying to guess which shell the elusive pea is under.

This isn't to say that the United States might not decide to withdraw. That's a dish which still is on the fire. There are two schools of thought on this subject of withdrawal. One holds that it would be a strategic error to pull out. The other maintains that it's a mistake to stay since there is such a thing as spreading your strength too thin, and furthermore America has military forces in neighboring Japan.

Whether Russia will indeed withdraw if the United States does not, remains to be seen. The Muscovites might pull back across the frontier into Manchuria in any event. And why not? Northern Korea has been thoroughly communized. A Soviet government has been established, and it's an open secret that the country is overrun with the Bolshevik armed secret police which spearhead the setting up of any Soviet regime. We've seen the ruthless efficacy of such police in countries like Czechoslovakia and Poland.

Korea is small, but strategically she is a mighty atom. For centuries the Korean peninsula, which projects down between the sea of Japan and the Yellow sea of Japan, has been a dagger pointing at the heart of peace. Certainly it enters into the picture of the great new red offensive to overrun the Orient.

Washington's response to the Russian announcement about withdrawal is that American troops of occupation will remain in Korea until the United Nations general assembly considers the Korean situation at Paris. The State Department said the United States has no intention of withdrawing troops forthwith.

## Reds Seek to Mediate China War

Washington, Sept. 22. — (UPI)—Diplomatic reports indicated today that Russia is trying to get a bid to mediate China's civil war.

Diplomatic sources in China, according to these reports, have overheard that Soviet officials are dropping careful hints that Moscow would welcome a mediator's role.

The "feelers" it was said, are calculated to determine whether Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist government would consider a formal offer of Russia's "good offices."

There was said to be some indication that the Chinese have not been receptive.

Nevertheless, the reports prompted official speculation over reasons behind the apparent Soviet interest in working out a truce between the warring Chinese nationalist and Communist forces.

Those familiar with the Chinese political and military situation hazard a guess that Russia is motivated by these factors:

1. A truce in the long civil war would give "legitimacy" to the cause of the Chinese Communists. They presumably would be included in a new Chinese government if the Soviet plan for mediation went through.

2. Once inside the government, the Communists would have a better opportunity to win control of China and establish a regime which would cooperate with Russia rather than the Western powers.

3. If the offer of mediation is made and rejected by Chiang, Russia could claim that the nationalists are not interested in peace. It then might find it practicable to give more support to the Communist forces.

4. Such an appeal undoubtedly would gain approval of many Chinese who are tired of the civil war.

On the negative side, the informal feelers are not regarded as a sign that Russia believes the Communist armies are waging a losing battle in view of the new U. S. military aid assured Chiang. Congress recently authorized \$125,000,000 for the nationalist forces and \$50,000,000 already has been allocated.

Authorities familiar with the Soviet moves doubt they will meet any success. Chinese officials contacted by the Soviet diplomats were understood to have reacted unfavorably toward the idea of Russian mediation.

Relations between China and the Soviet union have been strained for several years and Chinese suspicion alone may doom the Russian efforts.

## Gazette Editor Accepts New Position

Little Rock, Sept. 22 (UPI)—The former managing editor of the Arkansas Gazette here, Clyde L. Dew, has accepted a position as news editor of the Razorback newspaper.

President John F. Wells of the network, said that Dew will assume his duties today. He will handle all news for Stations KWXL at West Memphis and KWAK at Stuttgart. Dew headed the Gazette staff for 17 years, taking over as managing editor in 1931. His resignation was revealed recently.

And yesterday the Gazette announced that Harry Ashmore has been appointed executive editor in the only other staff change caused by Dew's absence. Ashmore was formerly editor of the Gazette's editorial page.

Heavy Ash  
Bright uniforms were used in warfare for their morale value and long-range weapons necessitated a high-visibility garb, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

## GOP in Bid for Support of South

Washington, Sept. 22. — (UPI)—The Republican party, in its first serious bid for Southern support in 20 years, is out to "sell" Gov. Thomas B. Dewey to the South as a staunch advocate of states' rights.

Hoping to capitalize on the split among Southern Democrats over President Truman's civil rights program, the GOP is campaigning platform and in the newspapers. It has set up a separate bureau to handle Southern affairs, under the direction of Byron Collier, former Columbus, Ga., editor.

Mrs. Charles W. Wells, Jr., associate GOP campaign manager, said several women's Republican clubs are being set up throughout the South.

"Many voters," she said, "are flocking to the support of the Dewey-Warren ticket and the establishment of a real two-party system in the South."

Collier currently is writing a series of articles for Southern papers in which he characterizes Dewey as a man who believes "in keeping government at home."

"One of his basic creeds," Collier said of Dewey, "is that over the centuries government—particularly under the poorly disguised regimentation of New Dealism—is too far removed from the people."

Collier is appealing to Southerners to get over their "blind loyalty" to the Democratic party and their traditional prejudices against the word "Republican."

Voicing for the States' Rights Democrats as a protest against the Truman-Barkley ticket, Collier only cause more confusion and chaos, he insists.

He argues for a progressive two party system in the South, which he says can be built up only by a huge South vote for Dewey and Gov. Earl Warren, his running mate.

"Dewey in the White House, plus a Republican Congress on the bill, means a healthy climate for American business, highlighted by productive economies which produce the lowest tax rates," Collier is telling Southerners.

No method for determining the longitude of a ship at sea was discovered until early in the 18th Century.

## Baby Undergoes Critical Operation

Chicago, Sept. 22 (AP)—Pamela Lamphere, the baby with her bladder outside her body, today underwent her first of three operations to correct the rare condition.

An hour later, physicians reported everything "going well."

The condition of Pamela, 22 months old, had caused a rift between her parents, Fred, 23, and Irene, 21. Physicians said the abnormality would be fatal unless she was operated upon.

The father wanted the operation but the mother said she preferred to have the child for the few years she was certain to live, instead of risking surgery.

The Lampheres became reconciled after Mrs. Lamphere learned of other children who underwent similar successful operations.

About one tenth of the population of the United States is Negro

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## A Real Relief For Stomach Distress, Acid Indigestion

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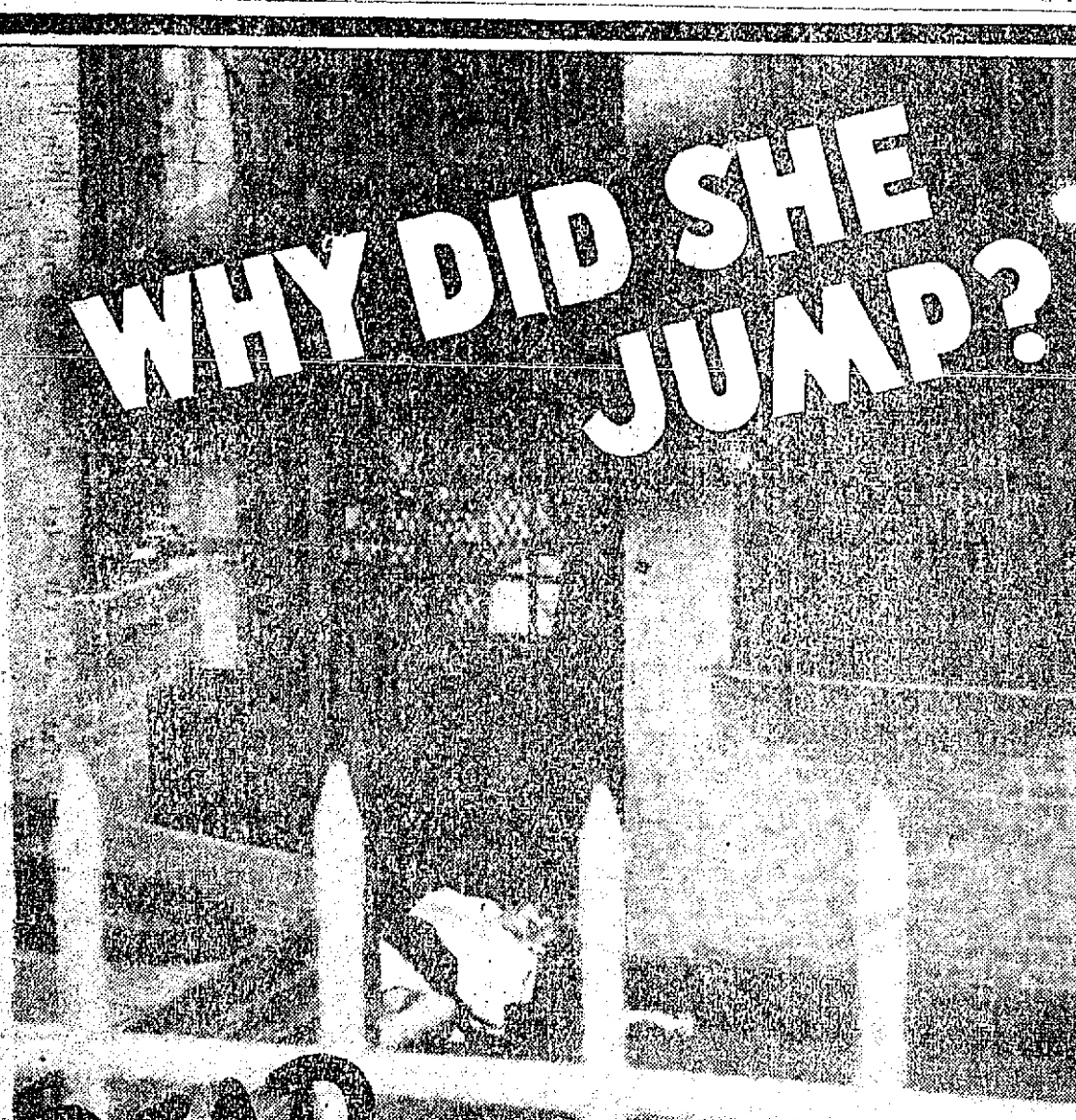
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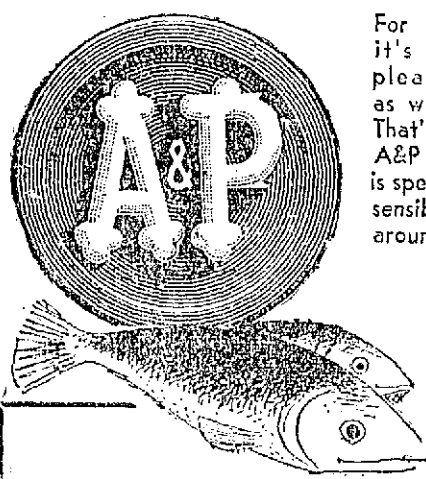
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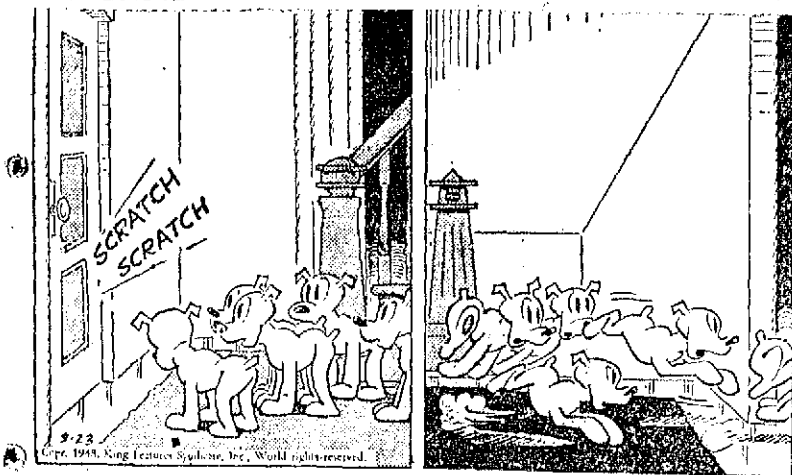




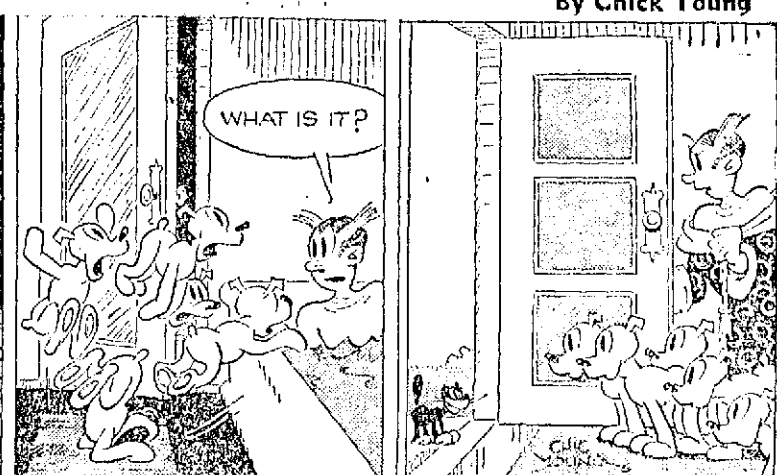




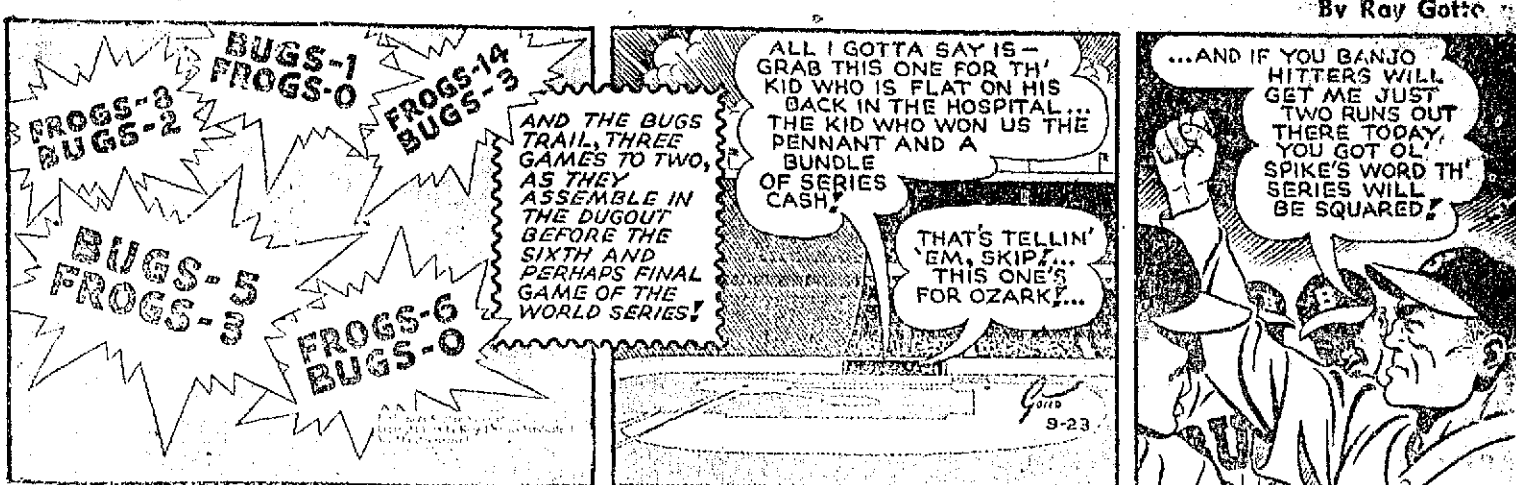
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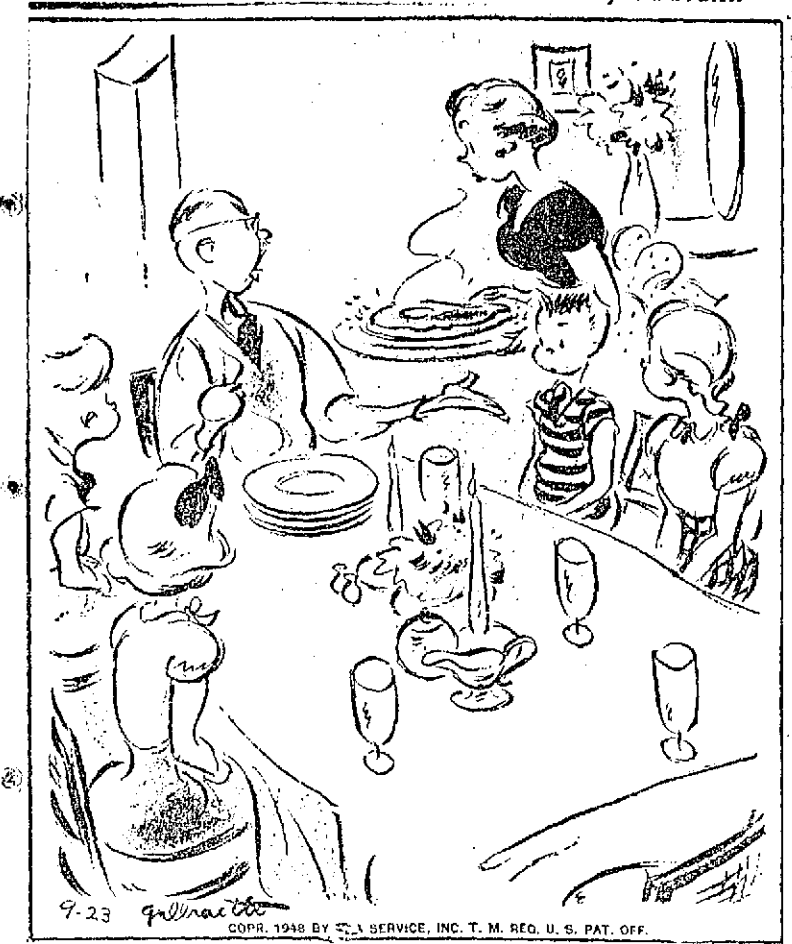
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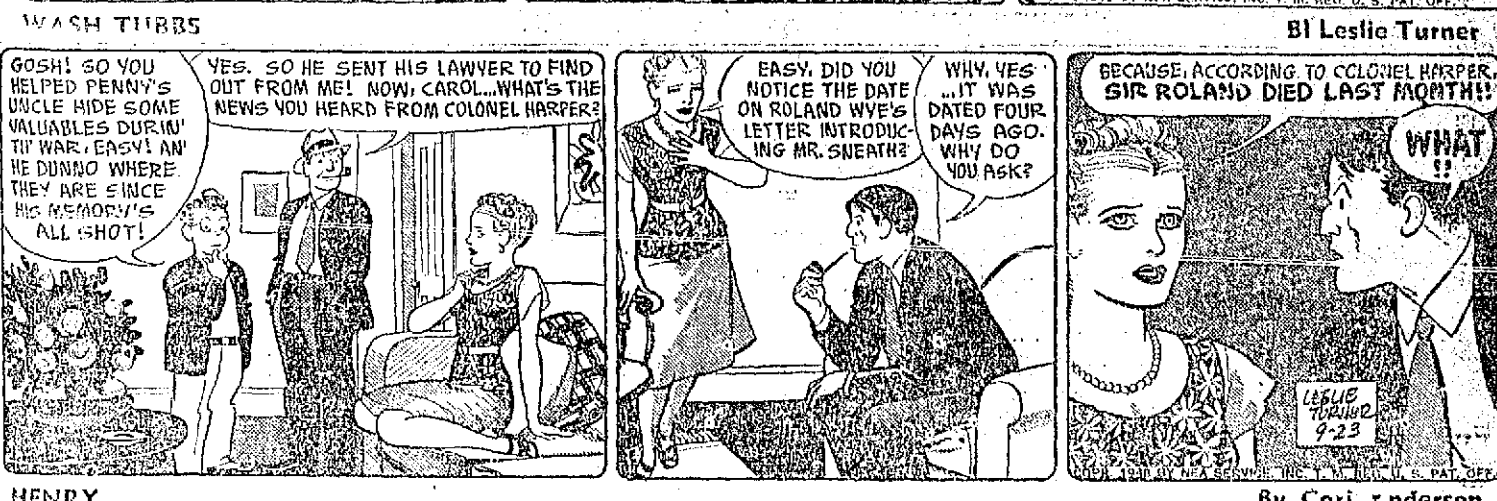
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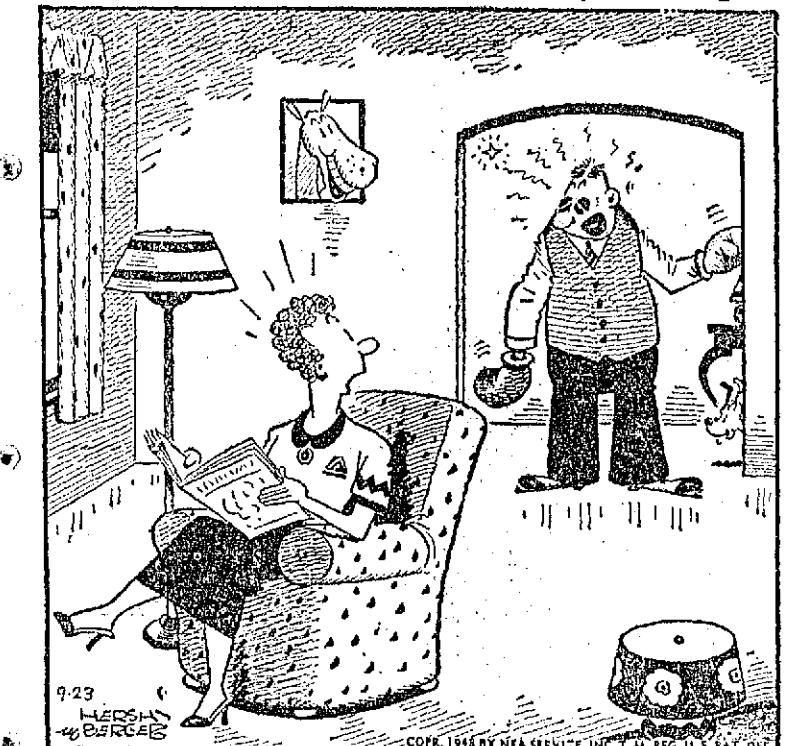
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"It's all right to have the neighbors' kids in for a meal, but do we have to have them the first night in three weeks we have a steak?"

"And here's one of my most expensive models absolutely free, officer! Nothing too good for our boys in uniform!"

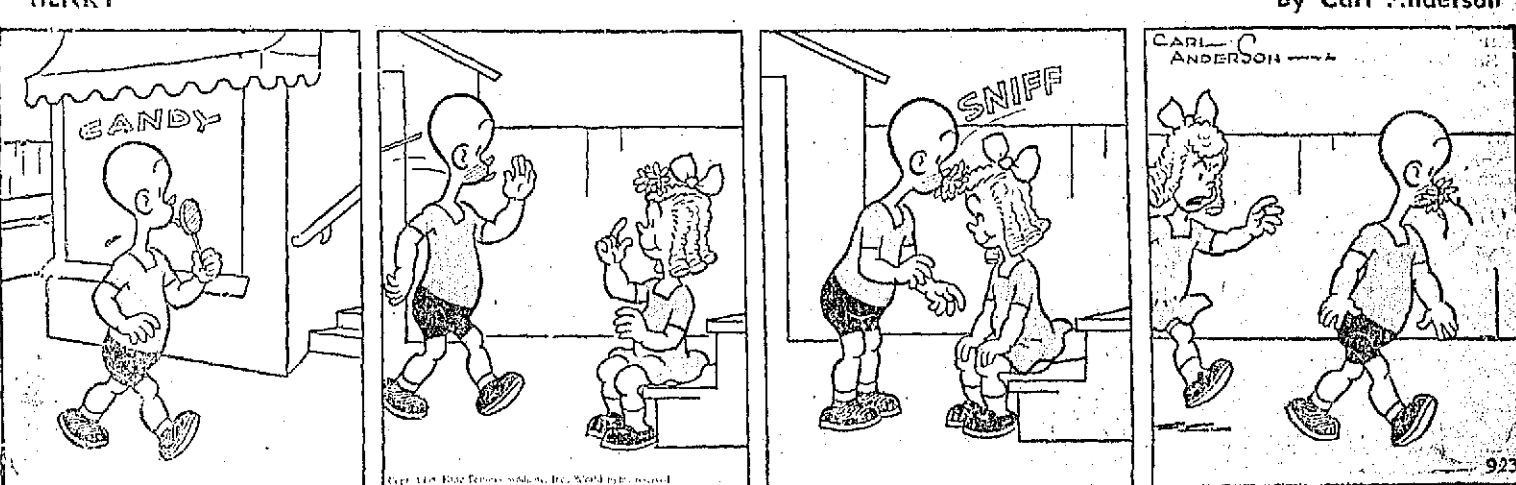
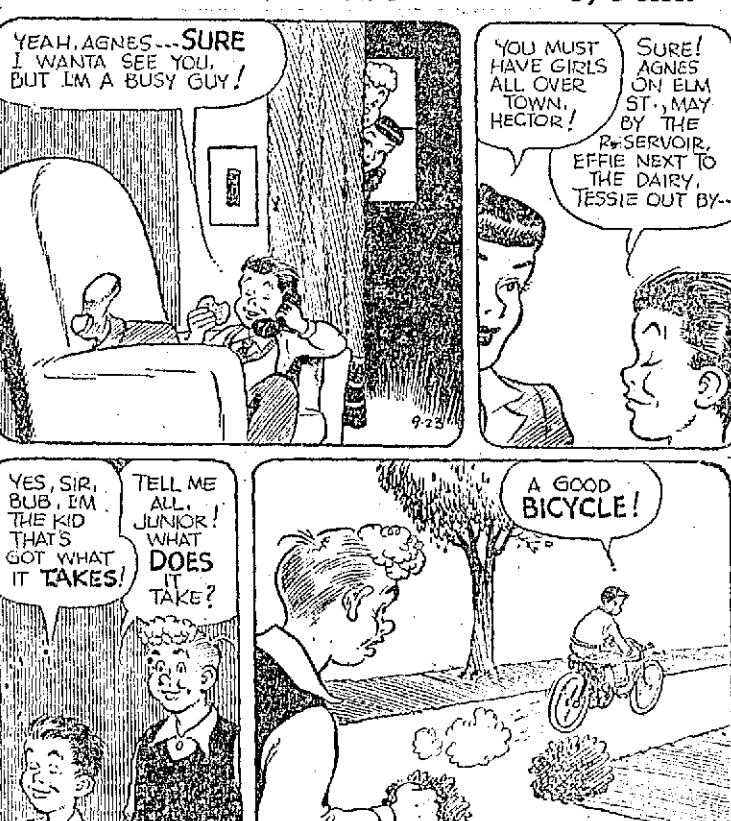
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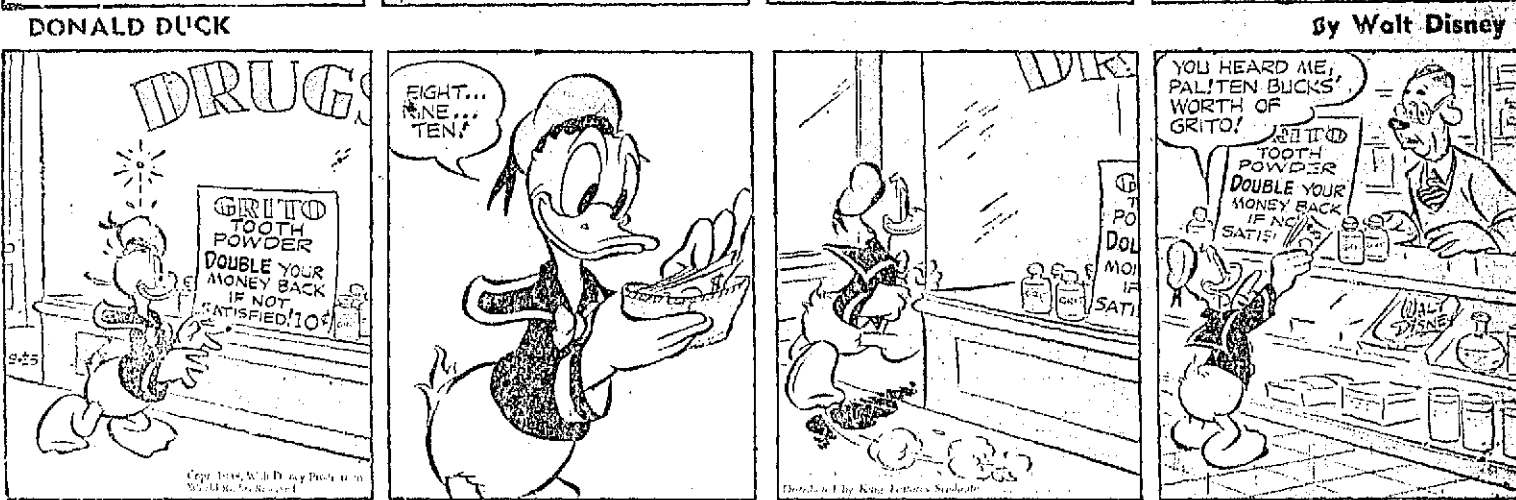
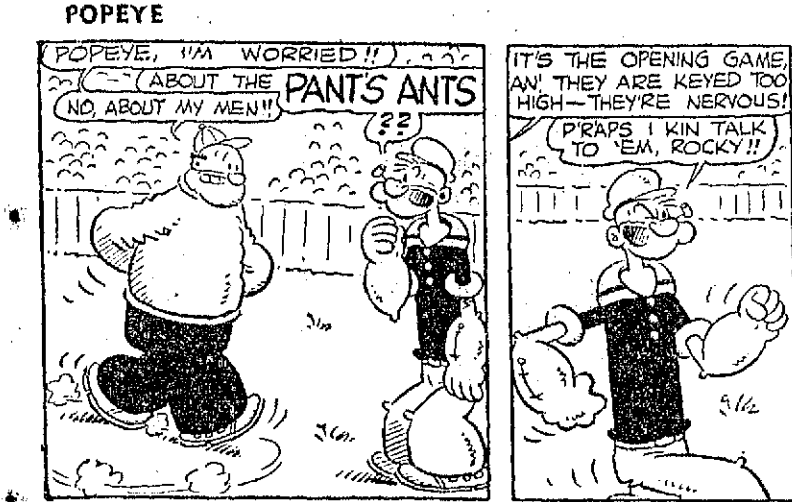
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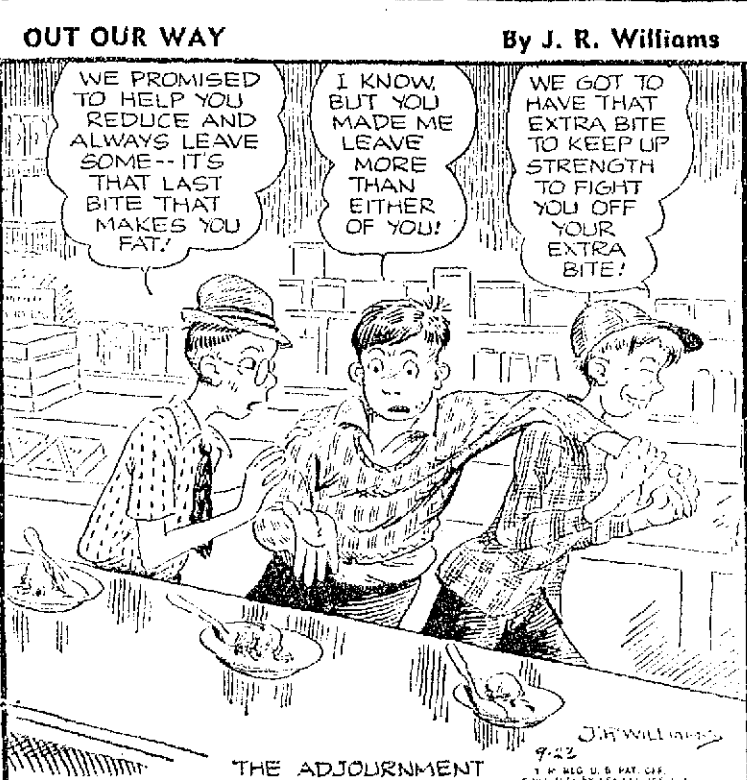


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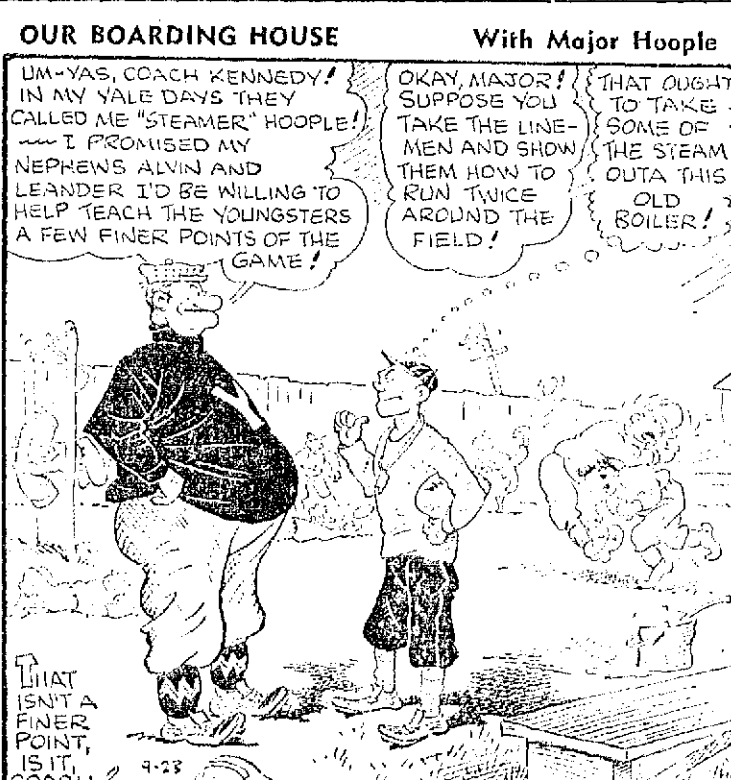
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By Walt Disney



By J. R. Williams



With Major Hoople



By V. T. Hamlin



RED RYDER

By Fred Harman





# Would Take Farms Out of Politics

Enroute with Warren to Louisville, Ky., Sept. 22 — Gov. Earl Warren put up to the farming community today a proposal to place the nation's farm problems on a non-political basis.

An overflow Republican gathering in St. Louis last night roared its approval when he said agriculture is not a "political issue," and ridiculed the "pitchfork conspirators."

Developing the non-partisan, national unity theme he expounded in Salt Lake City to launch his campaign, the Republican vice president candidate asserted: "The Democratic party has never had, does not have now, and they can't honestly claim, a proprietorship over agriculture."

"Agriculture isn't a political issue," he said, "it's a vital element in our national life calling for united action without partisanship. We can do it with both political parties working together."

The No. 2 Republican was given a rousing welcome to St. Louis. A storm of confetti and ticker tape showered down from St. Louis office buildings as the 50-car Warren motorcade traveled slowly from the station to hotel.

Police estimated between 50,000

and 75,000 saw him along the line of march through the business district. There were a few partisan boos heard above the applause.

A Republican crowd cheered him at Kiel Auditorium. It overflowed the main hall into two adjoining halls and across the street into Soldiers Memorial park. Auditorium Superintendent John Handley estimated the crowd at 6,000.

# Strike of Radiomen Averted

By The Associated Press

A threat of a strike of 300 radiomen on Pan American World Airways was averted today when management and labor agreed to submit their dispute to an impartial arbitrator.

The dispute arose over the alleged layoff of 50 radiomen several months ago.

R. S. Taylor, secretary of the flight radio officers section of the CIO Transport Workers Union, said last night that a strike would be called today unless the layoffs were cancelled. The company said the agreed resubmission of the issue to an arbitrator removed the strike threat.

The American Telephone and Telegraph company, has offered wage increases ranging up to \$16 a week for 25,000 telephone workers in 42 states and the District of Columbia. Plant craftsmen would get pay hikes up to \$6 and operators and clerical employees up to \$4, the company said.

The offer is being studied by the CIO American Union of Telephone Workers. A union spokesman said it "appears to be highly unsatisfactory," but he added the union "is continuing to examine it."

The union's threatened strike last June was averted by the naming of a fact-finding board by President Truman.

In Ottawa, Ia., five departments of John Marshall and Company packing firm were closed and 550 workers were made idle after a breakdown in company-union negotiations. A federal mediator failed to reconcile differences between the firm and the CIO Packinghouse Workers' local.

Striking CIO longshoremen, now handling army cargoes at Pacific Coast ports under contracts between the army and two stevedoring firms not connected with the Waterfront Employers' Association. The association has refused to negotiate with maritime unions who have not signed non-Communist affidavits.

The strike started Sept. 2 after a breakdown in negotiations over hiring halls and a longshore wage increase demand from \$1.07 to \$1.82 an hour.

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**Cotton Picking in Arkansas Well Underway**

Little Rock, Sept. 22 (AP)—Cotton picking in Arkansas is well underway following a week of ideal weather.

Cotton bolls opened rapidly in the hot, dry days, said the weekly State Weather and Crop Bulletin today.

Lincoln and Ashley counties have reported one-fourth of their cotton picked and Columbia county reported half of its crop picked. The harvest is not as far advanced in other producing areas.

Bales ginned thus far are grading well, the bulletin reported.

Also in full swing is the rice harvest, about one-third of the crop having been harvested in some counties.

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# He's Bugs About Bugs



Backgrounding James A. Hyslop, of Silver Springs, Md., in this picture are some of the 75 feet of shelves that hold the manuscript of his recently completed "Encyclopedia of Economic Insects." Started in 1921, it is the only book of its kind ever compiled. It lists 30,000 different kinds of U. S. insects. Hyslop, a retired Agriculture Department officer, is looking for a publisher.

# Prescott News

Thursday, September 23

Prescott Public Schools announced the organization of Adult Education classes to be held at the High School. All persons interested in taking an adult education course are urged to be present at the organizational meeting which is to be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the High School auditorium.

Corporal Gilbert Smith of Tokyo, Japan is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jones have returned to their home in Macon, Miss. after having been the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lige Martin and of her sister, Mrs. Dale Ledbetter and Mr. Ledbetter.

Sunday, September 26

Dedication of the McCall Methodist church building will be held Sunday. The public is invited.

James Upton of Hendrix College will conduct a Bible Training class on "The Life of Jesus" at First Methodist church September 26, 27, and 28 beginning each evening at 7 o'clock.

Order of the Eastern Star met Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Hall. The regular business meeting was conducted by the worthy matron, Mrs. Watson Buchanan. Mrs. Paul Buchanan read the minutes of the last meeting. The American flag was presented by the Marshall. Mrs. George Cashman and the pledge of allegiance was made in unison. The Star Spangled Banner was sung by the entire group. Mrs. A. V. Bobb, acting chaplain, read the devotionals. Plans are being made for the visit of the grand worthy matron, Mrs. Katherine Norrell. Mrs. Norrell will meet with the local order on October 15.

Eighteen members were present.

The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church met on Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the church for their mission study. The meeting was opened with the singing of the song "I Love to Tell the Story."

Mrs. Jack Cooper, president, conducted a short business session.

Mrs. Lindell Buchanan gave an inspiring devotion. Mrs. Fred White presented the mission study on "The Negro in Africa and America."

A beautiful duet "How long Must we Wait" was sung by Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. White.

Twenty-five members were present.

The fall district seminar of the W.S.C.S. of the Methodist church was held on Wednesday in Nashville. Those from Prescott attending the seminar were: Mrs. J. B. Hester, Mrs. J. M. Tetter, Mrs. A. B. Gordon, Mrs. Charlie Scott, Mrs. C. Ray Hozandori, Mrs. L. D. Kinney, Mrs. E. J. Smith, and Mrs. Dudley A. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Helton of Prescott and Mrs. Ed. Lowell of Arkadelphia are visiting in town, and relatives in Oxford, Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Gee Sr. spent Tuesday in Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Walker and daughter Brenda have returned to their home in Macon, Ala. after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Neimeyer and Mrs. Christine Mc Mahen.

Friends of Rev. Van Harnell will be pleased to learn that he is expected to return to his home in Macon, Ala. after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Neimeyer and Mrs. Christine Mc Mahen.

Mrs. Warren Compton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fincher and daughter in Jonesboro.

Rev. and Mrs. James Edward Chubb have returned from their wedding trip and are now at home in Texarkana. They spent the week-end in Prescott as the guests of Mrs. Christine's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Van Harnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorne Bonar and children have returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Pine Bluff.

Mrs. E. J. Smith returned Tuesday night from Fulton, La. where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Kaylor and Mr. Kaylor. She also visited relatives in Monroe, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Edwards of Detroit, Mich. are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dewoody.

John Stewart has returned to his home in Macon, Ala. after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Stewart.

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Life of Acting Mediator Is Threatened

Haifa, Israel, Sept. 22 (AP)—Reliable sources said today members of the outlawed Stern gang have made at least indirect threats against the life of Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, acting United Nations mediator in Palestine.

Bunche, an American, has taken over the duties of Count Folke Bernadotte, assassinated last Friday in Jerusalem. The Israeli government has accused Sternists of Bernadotte's slaying.

The sources who asked that their identities be withheld, said that because of the Israeli government's extreme concern over these threats, Bunche and his top associates have been placed under a heavy guard of Jewish police.

Bernadotte was known to have been offered a similar guard when he first began his mediation work. He refused it, however, saying there should be no need for such a precaution.

Armed guards now on duty at the buildings where Bunche and his aides live and work were not requested by the acting mediator. The sources said they are on duty at the direct order of David Ben-Gurion, Israeli premier and defense minister.

Ben-Gurion was reported to have said that Bunche would have to accept the guard whether or not he wanted it, since the Israeli government would have to bear the blame for further terrorist acts and has the right to take all possible precautions.

The exact nature of the threats against Bunche was not disclosed. The Stern gang, however, is reported to have said that Bernadotte's successor would have no immunity.

Despite the Israeli government's action in outlawing terrorist groups after Bernadotte's death, persons who previously had contact with dissident Jewish groups said there was no reason to suppose the Stern gang was broken up.

These sources said the arrest by Israeli police of 250 suspected Sternists could not make the group inoperative. In the past the Stern group was believed to have had about 1,500 members.

**American Killed**

Tel Aviv, Israel, Sept. 22 (AP)—The Israeli government announced that Arabs today ambushed a Jewish convoy to Jerusalem which included a white United States jeep, killing an American technician and three Jews.

United Nations headquarters identified the American as John Locke Lewis of Philadelphia, Pa. He was said to have come here as a consultant on railways only a few days ago.

The ambush occurred at 2 p. m. Israeli time, near the Latrun pumping station on the road to Jerusalem, the announcement said.

In the convoy, it added, were the white U. S. jeep, two private cars, two trucks and one gasoline truck.

One of the dead was reported to be a woman, and another, the announcement of the Jewish military authorities first said, was a man.

A Jewish convoy under U. N. protection have been running from the coastal cities of Israel to Jerusalem for several weeks.

**Cactus Fruit**

A species of cactus common to central and southern Arizona, the prickly pear, bears a purple, pear-shaped fruit edible to man. This fruit is eaten by coyotes, foxes, and other desert wild life.

The juice is the part of the cactus reserved for the faithful as distinguished from the part used by the clergy.

# Fort Smith All Set for Draft Boom

Fort Smith, Sept. 22 — (UP) — The clock is going back to the war boom years for this Arkansas-Oklahoma border city of 55,000.

The boom, full scale, hasn't arrived yet. But everyone in Fort Smith knows its on the way, along with 20,000 army draftees for near-by Camp Chaffee.

Already things have changed. The scene has been more reminiscent of 1941-46 ever since the army announced that it was reactivating Chaffee, the big replacement training center of World War I.

Six months ago Chaffee looked like an abandoned military post. Deserted, its barracks and buildings becoming scabrous; scarcely a sign of life within its vast limits except for a few bored-appearing firemen and civilian guards.

Take a glance now. The civilian guards are gone. (MPs on the gate.) Soldiers in fatigues and khakis are moving through the post's confines. The weeds have been cut.

The new (or old) look is just as apparent on Garrison avenue a mile or two to the west. Garrison is Fort Smith's main stem and is named for the fact that the city originally was founded as an army post more than a century ago.

During the war it took a vigorous man to elbow his way through the soldiers on Saturday night. Then came peace and as recently as six months ago Garrison was the same as any average main street in the country. Now that GI is coming back, and fast.

But it's still not like the peak of the war. At present there are only about 1,500 troops at Chaffee, mostly cadre for the training of the draftees. The big push doesn't get underway until about Oct. 1 when the first of the trainees begin pouring in. They will continue to arrive for three months — all during November and December — the department of the army expects to maintain 20,000 men at the post.

They'll be under the command of Maj. Gen. Robert S. Beightler, one of the great division commanders of World War II. Beightler, an Ohio national guardsman when the war started, led his 37th division through the Pacific (it helped hold the Bougainville perimeter in March of 1944) and Luzon and stormed Manila with it, already a Negro army unit, the 73rd engineer battalion, which had been sent to perform some housecleaning at the post prior to its reopening, already has completed its job and departed.

Meanwhile, the housing situation in Fort Smith has become tight again. It eased off after the camp was closed in 1946 but now the slack is going fast again and even though reactors are building dwellings as fast as possible, things probably will be crowded again.

But the discomforts will be alleviated by even better business conditions. Added to Fort Smith's already big factory payrolls will be the million and a half dollars a month for army personnel alone. Business never did slow down after the war and what it's going to be like with all the extra income is slightly exhilarating.

In construction alone, expenditures for dwelling will be boosted greatly. Fort Smith contractors have been building approximately 500 dwellings a year. Now the pace has increased, last month 71 houses were completed and next month there are prospects of topping this.

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# Mickey III



Screen star Mickey Rooney is seriously ill with a throat abscess in Hollywood, and surgery may be necessary. The actor is running a high fever.

# Perry County Judge Named Head of Group

Little Rock, Sept. 22 — (AP) — Perry County Judge Carl Adams was elected president of the Arkansas County Judges Association here today.

Other officers elected at the final session of the association's two-day convention are: Judge Brooks Parker, LaFayette county, first vice president; Judge Clay Brazil, Conway county, second vice president; Judge Doyle Blackburn, Fulton county, third vice president; and Judge Tom Logan, Lawrence county, secretary-treasurer.

Speaking to the association members last night, Democratic gubernatorial nominee and Sid McMath assured the judges of his cooperation, especially on road construction and county highway turn-back. He in turn asked the judges to support his program.

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# Marshall in Warning to Russians

By WILLIAM L. PHILLIPS

Paris, Sept. 23 — (AP) — Secretary of State Marshall said today in a timely veiled warning to the Soviet Union that American patience should not be mistaken for weakness.

Marshall outlined the United States' basic foreign policy in a speech to the fall session of the United Nations generally assembly. He referred to the Russians and their six eastern European satellites as the "small minority" which consistently boycotted the Balkan and Korean U. N. commissions and the "little assembly."

"It would be a tragic error," the American declared, "if, because of misunderstanding, the patience of others should be mistaken for weakness."

Marshall served notice the United States will not "compromise the essential principles" or "barter away the rights and freedom of other peoples."

In an apparent reference to the Berlin crisis, Marshall said the United States "is prepared to seek in every possible way, in any appropriate form, a constructive and peaceful settlement of the political controversies which contribute to the present tension and uncertainty."

The first reply to the American secretary from the Soviet bloc came from Poland's foreign minister, Zygmunt Modzelewski, who savagely attacked the European reconstruction program (ERP) and western efforts to unite their zones of occupation in Germany.

Gen. Carlos P. Romulo of the Philippines led off the general debate in the assembly with a call to the small nations of the world to unite in a "united force" that could maintain a balance of power between east and west.

Romulo said "the conscience of the world deserves a stronger voice than has spoken for it during the past three years. Let the small nations, speaking in unison, be that voice."

Marshall said "the United States does not wish to increase the existing tension."

"It is its wholehearted desire to alleviate that tension. But we will not compromise the essential principles. We will under no circumstances barter away the rights and freedom of other peoples."

The assembly adjourned at 12:55 p. m. (6:15 a. m. Central Standard Time) until 3 p. m.

# Brake Lining Firm Assessed Stiff Fine

New York, Sept. 22 — (AP) — Federal Judge Edward A. Conger today imposed fines totaling \$152,000 against the Brake Lining Manufacturing Association, Inc., of New York, 17 corporate members and

nine individual officials.

The action was taken after they withdrew innocent pleas and pleaded no contest to three criminal anti-trust indictments.

The indictments charged that the defendants had entered into three separate conspiracies to fix prices, discounts, classifications of customers and terms and conditions of sales on replacement brake linings and clutch facings.

J. Francis Hayden, chief of the anti-trust division of the Department of Justice in New York City said the three cases involved a nationwide industry, 96 per cent of which operated under a controlled price structure affecting all users of automobiles, trucks and industrial equipment.

Hayden asserted the defendants involved in the three cases did \$45,000,000 worth of business annually.

The indictments charged that all sales and all resales at the various levels of distribution in the industry were made at prices agreed upon by the defendants.

The word "conspiracy" originally meant tendon or sinew.

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When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatic pain, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic, used successfully by millions for over 60 years. Doan's gives happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

**STARTS SUNDAY**

The Fabulous Story of a Fabulous Guy!

**"THE BABE RUTH STORY"**

BENDIX-TREVOR-BICKFORD

SAENGER

**READIN' and 'RITIN' and 'RITHMATIC**

are RIGHT with Red Goose Shoes

Yes, Red Goose Shoes are RIGHT back to school shoes! They are built right and styled for young-idea smartness. Value-wise, too. See a pair today.

Your child takes 30,000 STEPS A DAY! Make every single one count! Buy "BUILT for ACTION" Red Goose Shoes!

We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps

**Geo. W. Robison & Co.**

HOPE "The Leading Department Store" NASHVILLE



# GRAND OPENING

SAT. SEPT. 25th 9 A. M.

We take pleasure in announcing to the People of Hope and surrounding territory that we will open our new store in Hope, Arkansas, in the McRae Hardware building, 201 Main St., across the street from the First National Bank, next Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, and we cordially invite you to pay us a visit and see the many values we have to offer. We carry a complete line of Clothing and Shoes for Men, Women and Children as well as most any other items that you find in an up to date Department Store.

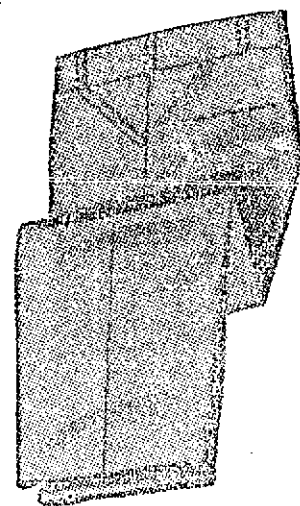
IT WILL PAY YOU TO VISIT OUR STORE ON OPENING DAY

## NYLON HOSE

Ladies 51 gauge, 15 denier Full Fashioned Nylon Hose sizes 8½ to 10½. First quality. New fall shades. 45 gauge First Quality Nylons.....

89c

**1.19**



## Best Grade Army Cloth MEN'S PANTS

Regular 4.95 Grades Your Choice

**3.88**

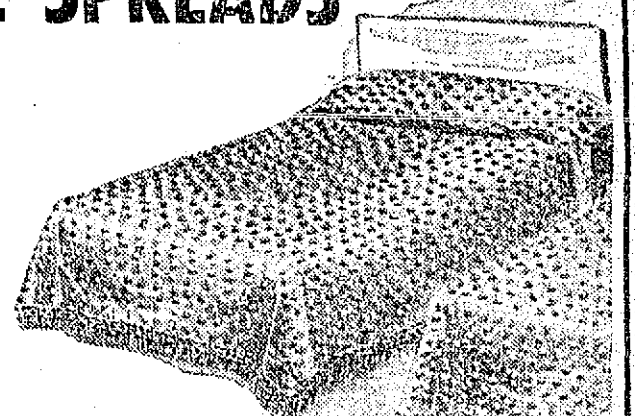
The genuine Camerton Army Cloth... the finest Army Cloth made is used in these pants. They are full cut, perfectly tailored and in all sizes. You'll like these for their durability... their perfect fit.

## HOBNAIL SPREADS

Regular 5.95 Values Your Choice

**3.88**

These luxurious Hobnail Bedspreads in popular colors with soft, chenille button-like nodes on an extra heavy grade sheeting are now offered at this astounding low price... Grand for Gifts!

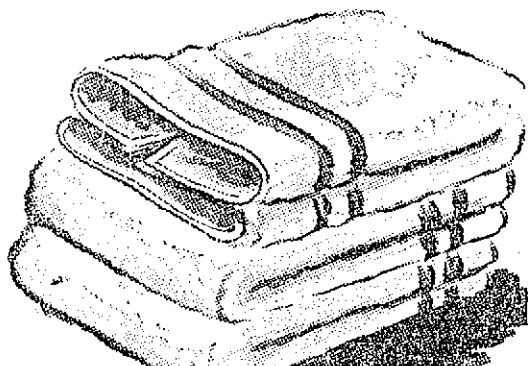


## Extra Large Size... Extra Heavy Grade CANNON TOWELS

Regular 49c Grades Your Choice

**33c**

Large 20x40-inch extra heavy Cannon Mills' Turkish Towels at this sensationally low price. They are in whites with colored borders and of a grade that will give excellent wear. Save on these now!



## An Amazing Value In WASH DRESSES

Values Up to 2.98 in This Group for

**1.39**

Surely happy days are here again when one can buy such beautiful wash dresses at such a low price. Sizes from 14 to 44 in a great variety of style and color combinations. All fast colors.



## CANNON BATH CLOTHS

11 x 11 Cannon bath cloths in a wide range of colors. An excellent value. Regular 12c value.

**7c**

## CANNON SHEETS

81x99 fine muslin sheets. Sheets very smooth type. 128 muslin. Regular 2.69 value. First quality. Each

**1.98**

## CHENILLE SPREADS

Extra wide 11¼ spread. With multi color chenille on white and colored grounds. Extra long. 7.95 value for

**4.88**

## MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

Excellent value in men's fine quality white broadcloth and fancy shirts. Size 14 to 17. Regular 2.50 value.

**1.59**

## MEN'S DUNGAREES

Men's 8 oz. sanforized copper riveted dungarees. Size 28 to 42.

**1.78**

## MATTRESS TICKING

EXTRA QUALITY 6 1/5 oz. government standard mattress ticking. Regular 49c value, per yard

**37c**

## BOYS' WORK SHOES

Boys plain toe work shoe with composition sole. Made by General Shoe Corp. Sizes 2½ to 5½. Extra special.

**2.88**

## BOYS ARMY CLOTH PANTS

Excellent value boys' Type 4 suntan army cloth pants. Sizes 6 to 16. Regular 2.98 value.

**2.89**

## MEN'S WORK SHOES

Men's tan work shoes with plain toe and composition sole made by one of the world's largest shoe manufacturers. Sizes 6 to 11 Regular 4.49 value.

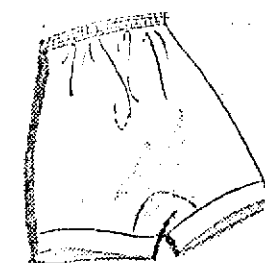
**2.88**

ONE SPECIAL GROUP OF

## LADIES' PANTIES

Regular 59c Values Your Choice

**33c**



This is a real School Days value. Pretty quality rayon panties in tearose only at a sensational price. We invite you to get a good supply of these. Come in early — they won't last long.

The Home  
of  
Good  
Values

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CROWLEY

# WEST BROS.

DEPARTMENT STORE

Across From First National Bank

Hope, Arkansas, McRae Hardware Building

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MAGNOLIA  
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EL DORADO  
FORREST CITY  
TEXARKANA  
HELENA  
HOPE

The Home  
of  
Good  
Values



Style Right! New!

LADIES' FALL

# Dresses

5.95 7.95 10.95

Adorable tailored or dressy styles for every daytime occasion.

9 to 15 — 12 to 52 Black — Greys Satins — Novelty Printed Silks — Weaves

Use Our Lay-A-Way Plan

Dresses that will make you want the new season to begin tomorrow!

Dresses that have all the earmarks of quality because they are exact copies of much more expensive styles; brought to you in a complete range of sizes and colors at the lowest prices.



For School Wear and Dressy Occasions

## CHILDREN'S DRESSES

Striking dresses for the smart young girl who wants attractive style in durable wash dresses! Every dress in these groups is guaranteed fast color and in a pretty material suitable for school or semi-dress wear. We invite you to compare the prices and the qualities!

1.98 2.98 4.95 5.95



Ladies' and Misses' Fast Colored

Fall Cotton

## Dresses

This season we'll be 'tops' in beautiful quality and distinctively styled wash dresses for women and misses. The first new styles are just an insight into those to follow. All made of fast color materials in many styles and patterns. Sizes from 12 to 52. Just see them!

2.98 4.95 5.95



SAVE MONEY ON THESE FABRICS

### 36-In. Fast Color DRESS PRINTS

A grand assortment of colors and color combinations for women's dresses, children's dresses, men's shirts and men's and boys' pajamas. 36 inches wide. Per yd. . . . .

49c and 59c

### Indian Head

The dependable, durable plain color fabric suitable for dozens of uses. Good assortment of colors. Full 36 inches wide. A yard . . . . .

79c and 89c

### Curtain Scrim

Just the kinds you will want for your entire home. Good durable grades in assorted patterns in both white and color. Priced at . . . . .

29c and 39c

### 8-Ounce Feather Tickings.

A yard only . . . . . 59c

### 6 1/2-Ounce Mattress Ticking.

A yard only . . . . . 37c

### 36-Inch Outing. Solids or stripes.

Yard . . . . . 35c



For School! For Sports! For Business!

## BLOUSES

2.98 Tailored or Lace Trim Styles

and Whites or Postels with Long or Short Sleeves 3.95

Made of silk, cotton or rayon. Choice of pretty white or dainty colors. Tailored or fancy styles. Yes, just the colors and styles that will add "dash" to your Fall suits or complete your costume when you wear a separate shirt or blouse. All sizes in a smart new style.

Exciting New Colors and Styles in Fall

## SWEATERS

1.98 2.98 3.95

Reds, Greens, Blues, Whites, Navies, Pinks, Aqua

And Many Other Smart Colors They are here in a splendid collection of sweaters in solid colors, lovely weaves and patterns. Ideal for school girls, or their teachers. Cardigans, Cont styles, Slings, Joes, and Pullovers.



New Longer Lengths Featured in Our

## SKIRTS

2.98 3.98 5.95

Yes, in beautiful plaid and solid colors in delightful weights for Fall and Winter.

Careful, pleated or clip-cup styles. Made of beautiful plaids, tweeds or solid colors. These are just the types you'll want, because they are being worn throughout the country this fall.



New Fall and Winter

## HANDBAGS

Feature new colors, new leathers and fabrics and new shapes at these extra value prices.

1.98 2.98 4.95

In patents . . . black calf, colored leathers as well as grained leathers and fabrics of many kinds. Choice of a huge assortment of handles and fastenings.

These Items Carry a 20% Federal Excise Tax



NEW for School and Dress! . . . Boys'

## DRESS SHIRTS

1.49 1.98

Beautiful Qualities Made to Give Those Rough and Tumble Boys Smart Looking Dress Shirts for Months to Wear

Blades of fast color fabrics like broadcloths, madras and percales. All full cut and well tailored. Two grades in all sizes.



# West Bros. Grand Opening

SATURDAY MORNING 9 O'CLOCK

It is with pleasure that we announce the opening of our store in Hope, Arkansas, Saturday morning at 9 o'clock and we feel you will be fully repaid for visiting us even if you have to travel many miles to get here. Our buyers have been busy for months in preparing for this opening and we feel sure you will be pleased with the values we are offering. Every item sold by us must give you 100% SATISFACTION! YOUR MONEY WILL BE REFUNDED

## Chenille Spreads

In Loads of Pretty Colors

For full double beds of these extra value prices . . . Complete assortment of colors

5.95 7.95 9.95

Here Are Those Soft Kitten Fur-like Chenille Spreads

In all those glamorous colors. All extra large double bed sizes, in many patterns and color combinations.

USE OUR LAY-AWAY! A small deposit on any spread will hold it until you are ready to use it.



## LOVELY TAILORED CURTAIN PANELS

Perfectly plain tailored curtains in plain nets or fancy designed styles that will glorify your dining or living room. Priced, per window at only —

98c to 1.98



Striking New

## RUFFLED CURTAINS

If you love "ruffles" things you will want these curtains for your bedroom. Choice of popular styles in several style dots or plain fabrics. Buy them here and save money.

2.98 3.95

## CANNON SHEETS

81x99 inch Sizes for . . . 1.98

Sizes for . . . 81x108-inch 2.98

Pillow Cases to Match 59c

J and P Coats Thread . . . 4c

Cotton Batting . . . . . 79c



## BLANKETS

On Our Lay-Away Plan

A small deposit will hold your selection until you want them. Buy now and be sure of best selection.

66x80-inch heavy double blankets in popular colored plaids . . . 2.98

72x84 satin-bound part wool blankets in all pastel colors . . . 4.95

72x90 Inch Genuine Purry Blankets. Choice of all popular solid colors . . . 7.95

80x90 All Wool Blankets . . . . . 9.95

Other All Wool Blankets . . . . . 7.95 to 18.95



New Prices on Ladies'

## NYLON HOSIERY

45 - Gauge Excellent Value 1.19

51 - Gauge Extra Sheer 1.49

All First Quality — New Fall Shades

Children's Anklelets . . .

New Fall and Winter Colors and Patterns. A complete range of sizes for every boy and girl — and sizes too for misses and young women. Short or longer lengths. Choice of two grades.

25c and 39c



Women's Fashionable Fall

## Dress Shoes

2.98 Novel Styles Staple Straps New Oxfords New Ties

In Blacks British Tans Browns and Others 3.95 6.95

This year our Shoe Department is offering the season's newest styles in the most popular colors at prices which mean great values. We invite you to see the new styles first.

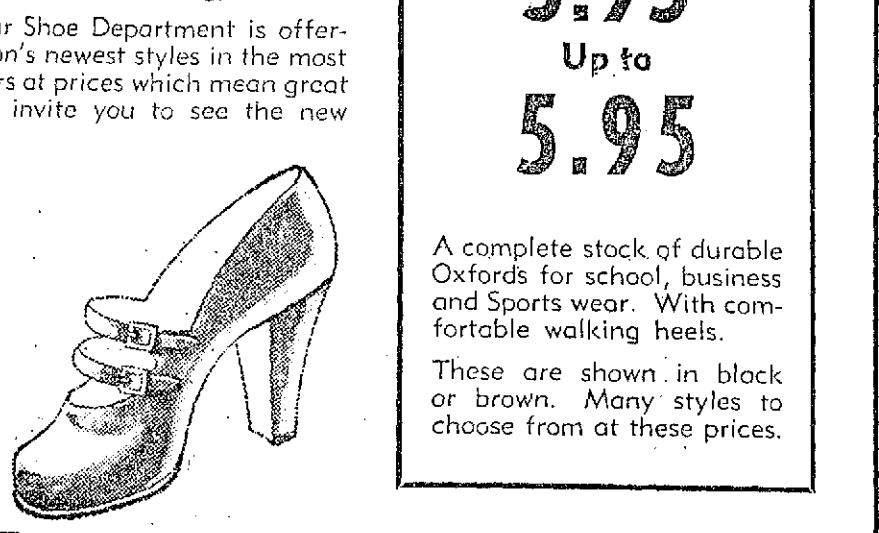


Men's Fashion Right

## Dress Oxfords

6.95 In Browns or Blacks and 9.95

Our collection of shoes for the new season is just about as complete as any we have had in years. It features those smart styles and patterns for young men as well as the conservative styles for older men.



Children's

## SCHOOL SHOES

2.98 3.95 4.95

Grained Leathers Patent Leathers Versatile Calf Skin Built for Comfort and Durability

For Boys or Girls If your children need a perfect fit, long lasting school or dress shoes, we can save you money and please them with a shoe they are proud to wear.



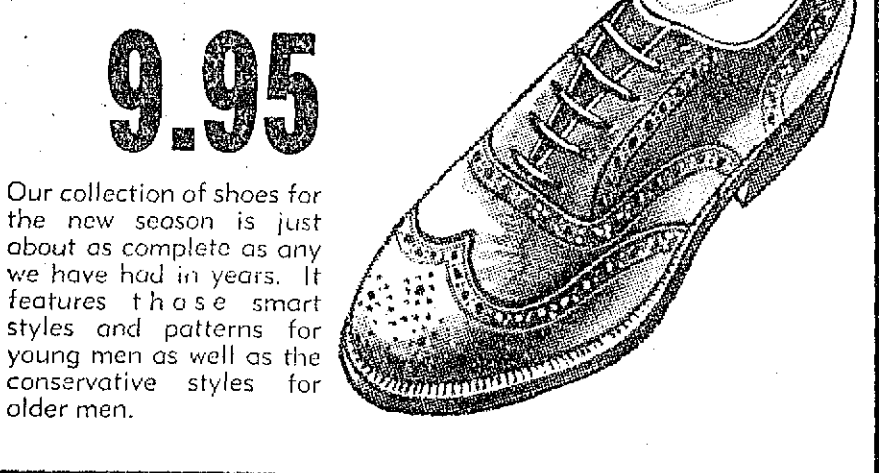
Men's Long Lasting

## WORK SHOES

2.88 Up to 9.95

Wear them for all kinds of work for Satisfaction

Men! Here is your best work shoe value! Heavy composition sole. Stylish in all sizes at this big bargain price. They'll give you extraordinary service this winter. All sizes for this special event. Come, get yours now.




## BOYS' DRESS OXFORDS

4.95 and 5.95

Good durable grades to stand plenty of wear.

Mannish styles for the older boys. All built to stand rough wear and still retain their smart, trim appearance. Choice of several styles in all sizes for bigger boys.



Men's New Fall


## TIES

1.00 and 1.50

Any of ties for the full dressed man for coming season. Patterns and colors to go with your suits or shirts. All famous West value prices.

Ladies PANTIES In an assortment that will defy duplication . . . especially for the prices. This season we are offering a grand assortment of panties in those popular styles. They are in shorts, slinky types or skin-tights in lace trimmed or tailored styles.

49c - 69c 98c



MEN'S AND BOYS' SWEAT SHIRTS 1.39

We have them, men and young men, in just the styles and kinds you'll want for work, school or dress wear. Solid colors or novelty patterns in all sizes. Get your share now.



Men's Fall

## FELTS

1.98 4.95 7.95

Men! Men! Here's your greatest opportunity to buy your new Fall and Winter Hats. Beautiful styles and colors in a wide range of the most stylish shapes and bands. Come, see the grand assortment . . . you'll dress up in one.

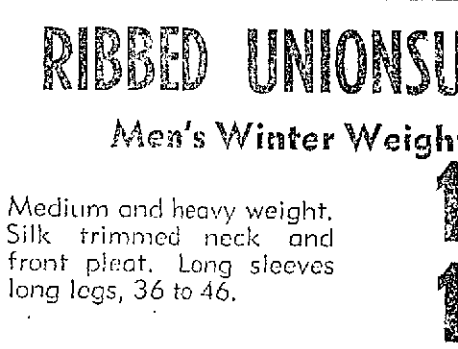
PORTIS . . . 6.50 to 12.50



## RIBBED UNIONSUITS

Men's Winter Weight 1.79 1.98

Medium and heavy weight. Silk trimmed neck and front plait. Long sleeves long legs, 36 to 46.



## MEN'S TROUSERS

For Your Fall and Winter Wear

Yes, they are here in a grand collection of styles, colors and patterns for men and young men in those popular pleated or plain fronts. You'll like the new quality, the new fabrics. They'll give you service.

4.95 6.95 7.95 9.95



## MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

For Fall and Winter

Broadcloths, Madrases, Shirtings, and Other Finer Fabrics are used in making Your Dress Shirts this year.

Fast color patterns and whites. All full cut and perfectly tailored. They are priced here at only —

1.98 and 2.98



## MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS

Long or Short Sleeve Plaid or Solid Colors 2.98 and 4.95

The shirts for end comfort in all the hottest days of fall that are ahead.



## REGULAR or SHORT SOCKS

In Stripped Patterns In Plaid Patterns In New Solid Colors 25c and 39c

Short or full length styles in beautiful colors and patterns for Summer and Fall wear. All good, durable grades at these bargain prices.



## MEN'S FALL AND WINTER SUITS

The fabrics are finer! The fabrics are prettier . . . the prices are lower! Just come see them.

Our stock of new fall suits is ready . . . it presents a complete assortment of colors, styles and patterns in single or double-breasted models for the young man as well as conservative men.

34.95 and 39.50



FOR SCHOOL and COLLEGE GOING BOYS! . . . NEW

## Fall and Winter SUITS

The young man in the teen ages will find in our stock a great assortment of beautiful, high type suits in the season's newer patterns and colors. We invite you to see these.

17.50 to 22.95



Thrilling to Mothers!

## BOY'S FALL AND WINTER SUITS

MOTHERS! This year we are in a position to dress your boys in a smart looking, durable suit at a real money saving price. Beautiful fabrics. Newest models in sizes from 6 years to 16 years.

14.95 and 19.95



## MEN'S UNDERSHIRTS

49c and 79c

Athletic style ribbed undershirts, made of long staple combed cotton yarns that will hold their shape.

## MEN'S SHORTS

59c to 79c

Choice of many patterns. Made of fast color broadcloth and persimmon prints. All sizes.

Boys Ribbed Unions 1.29 and 1.49 Suit

Long leg and long sleeve grades in all sizes. Silk trimmed neck and front plait.



## WORK CLOTHING

For Men and Boys

Men's Leather Work Gloves . . . 98c to 1.49

Men's Army Cloth Pants . . . . . 3.49 and 4.49

Men's Army Cloth Shirts . . . . . 3.49 and 4.98

Men's Blue Overalls . . . . . 2.49 and 2.98

Men's Blue Work Shirts . . . 1.49

For the Boys!


Boy's Army Cloth Pants . . . 2.98

Boy's Army Cloth Shirts . . . 2.49

Boy's Blue Jeans . . . . . 1.98

Boy's Khaki Shirts . . . . . 1.79

Boy's Blue Shirts . . . . . 1.29





# Misses Fall and Winter COATS

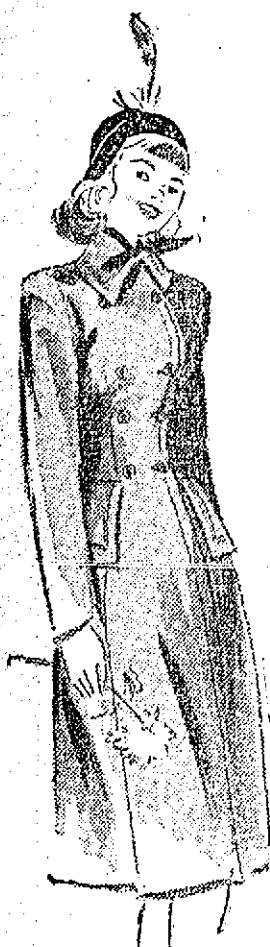
**9.95** New Colors  
New Styles  
New Fabrics

**13.95**

**16.95**

Designed  
Especially  
for Misses  
and Little  
Women!

If you are one who is to wear these smaller styles you will welcome the new models for Fall and Winter 1948-49. The new look is everywhere in these creations. New longer lines in belted, fitted and swagger styles with good durable linings, and at these prices ... extraordinary values!



## QUALITY Raincoats

- For Ladies
- For Misses
- For Girls

The New 1948 Raincoats feature the new longer lines, therefore offering greater protection. Choice of several popular kinds.

Belted or Fitted Styles

### LADIES

Plastics, Spuns, Sharkskins and many others in a grand assortment of the most popular colors. Priced from ...

**6.95**

UP TO

**14.95**

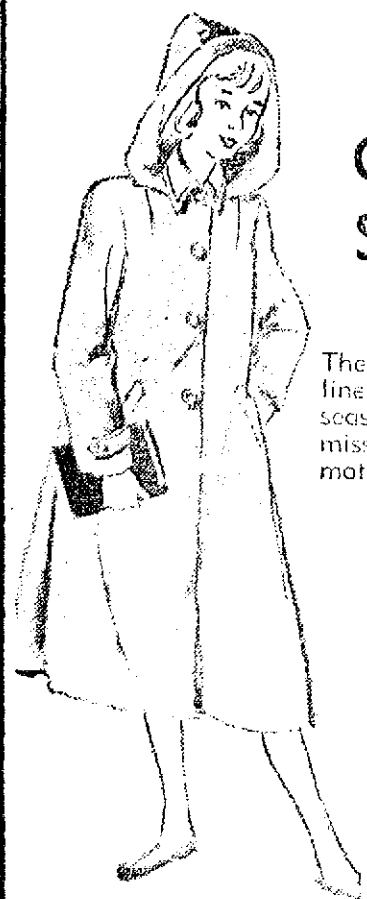


### Girls and Misses Sizes and Styles

These too have the new look. Longer lines in fitted or swagger styles in the seasons most popular colors. Sizes for misses and little girls, with hoods to match. All at real bargain prices.

**4.95**

**5.95**



## WEST BROS.

# Grand Opening

**Saturday Morning at 9 o'Clock**

Bringing you the Fashion Hits of the Country! Our buyers combed the markets to gather the best styles ... the best grades ... the best values for the opening of the season. You will do well to make your selection early. In this way you will have first choice of the new creations and be protected against any price rises that may come later.

Choose Now! Use Our Lay-Away

## Childrens' New Fall COATS

**5.95**

**9.95**

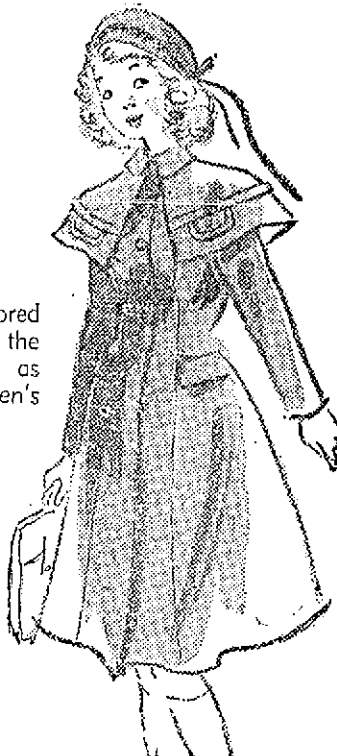
Beautifully tailored ... many of the same materials as are used in women's new 1948 coats.

**13.95**

**16.95**

A Complete  
Range of Sizes  
for Every  
Little Girl

Too, in colors every mother will like. Choose these early as the prices are right!



### Boy's RAINCOATS

In Slicker or tweed types. Some with helmets to match. Complete range of sizes. Priced at ...

**4.95 5.95**

### Men's RAINCOATS

... slickers and rain suits. Complete protection for men in every walk of life. Priced at ...

**5.95**

## Men's and Boys' LEATHER COATS and JACKETS

A good stock of these is ready for your selection. Buy early. Use our lay-away plan. Choice of several styles.

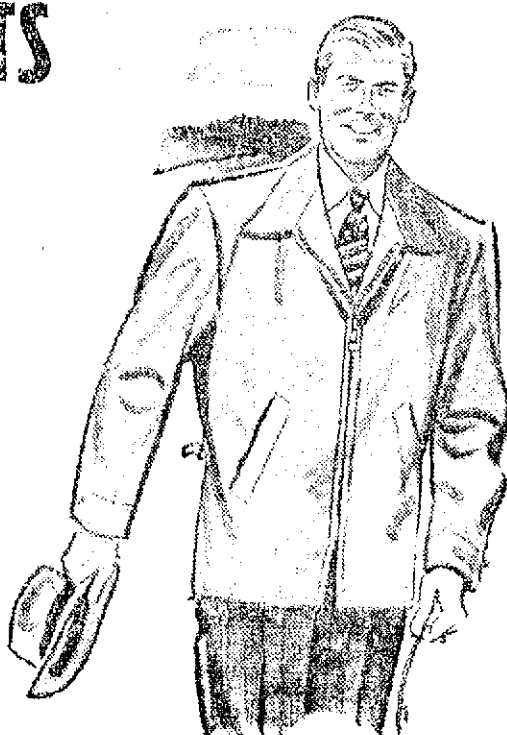
Men's Capeskin Bush Coats ... 14.95 to 19.95

Men's Capeskin Jackets, Priced at ... 12.95

Men's Plaid Mackinaws Heavy, at ... 7.95

Boys' Wool Plaid Jac-Shirts 4.95 to 5.95

Boys' Wool Jackets, Priced at ... 2.98



## Favorites for Fall

### COAT FASHIONS IN THE NEWEST

**19.95**

You will agree that we are right when you see these coats. They are truly "Favorites for Fall."

**24.95**

New Colors  
New Styles  
New Fabrics

**29.95**

Women who are looking for the new lines will welcome the opportunity of seeing just what the new season has to offer.

West is proud of the grand assortment of authentic Coat Fashions our buyers have gathered from the important centers of America.

We invite you to see them ... To buy them on our lay-away plan.



## Different — THE NEW SEASON SPORT COATS FOR

New Colors  
New Weaves  
New Lines  
Are Here in  
These Coats

**13.95**

**16.95**

**29.95** Swagger Styles  
Belted Styles  
Fitted Styles

... and every coat in the new longer lines. Every coat with a durable, good-looking lining that will give you months of service and will be one you will be proud to show. Just come in and see them. Ideal for business women or school-going girls or teachers.

USE OUR LAY-AWAY ON THESE, TOO!



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